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For: WATER-BASED INK COMPOSITION)	GEE
AND BALLPOINT PEN USING THE)	
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**REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c) AND SUBMISSION OF
DECLARATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.132**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action issued April 9, 2008. A Petition and payment for a one-month extension of time are attached, making this Amendment due on or before August 9, 2008. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed concurrently.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: